

CHICAGO NEWS IN BRIEF

Now that Judge J. A. Mahoney has killed a boy with his auto, the coroner's jury has recommended that boys and girls ought to be made to stop skating in street.

Mrs. Sadie Lees, 23, Aurora, suicide. Acid. Ill health.

Unidentified man about 28 shot seven times and killed at W. Elm and Crosby sts. Murderer escaped.

Joseph Lapeosick, 2717 Princeton av., severely injured when part of roof of 5-cent theater, 1336-38 Morse av., collapsed.

M. Diegot, 1552 S. Albany av., tailor; A. Stoll, 736 S. Robey st., and M. Dorgan, motorman, injured when street car and Diegot's auto crashed.

T. R. Tyler, 39, broker, 2811 Prairie av., suicide. Gun. Ill health.

John Madlung, 79, retired farmer, Palos Park, suicide. Clothes line. Ill health.

Government ordered by Judge Carpenter to return to Dr. H. D. Reynolds, 39 W. Adams st., most of letters postal inspectors took from his files during a raid on his office.

Max Bank, 751 S. Robey st., held up by four men. \$75.

Robert Webb, slayer of Detective Hart, was only person in county jail not spoken to by James Perry and Claude Rose, convicted auto-bandits, who left for Joliet yesterday with several other prisoners.

Joseph "Jocko" Briggs, at one time under death sentence for murder, fined \$100 and sent to Bridewell for one day for cutting J. F. Klaus, 2322 W. Lake st., in the head. E. Schumacker, 1473 Austin av., companion, fined \$5.

\$492 contribution yesterday boosted of Commerce to \$331,658.
ed flood relief fund of local Associa-

Unidentified woman about 55 killed by auto of P. Grunder, 4955 N. Western av. Grunder arrested.

Coroner's jury deadlocked for second time in inquest over body of Mrs. M. Soewcijk, 9818 Marquette av.,

killed April 5 by auto of Dr. J. A. Stefanski, 8408 Superior av., who was arrested and released on \$2,000 bonds.

F. M. Fairfield, Atty., 39 S. La-Salle st., and Morris Griswald, 223 N. Prairie av., Austin, arrested on charge of assaulting C. Bellak, bailiff Municipal Court.

H. C. Furey, alias "Harry Foster," 53, Stratford Hotel, arrested as suspect in Kirby wire tapper case.

Police searching for Marjorie Baldwin, 18, 834 Lakeside av., missing since Saturday.

E. A. Schreiber, 4949 W. Huron st., met death by accidental drowning and asphyxiation, according to coroner's jury. His body was found in bathtub soon after fire attacked his home.

A. Kaplan, 15, 2610 Thomas st., shot and severely wounded by stray bullet. County hospital. Paul Silveri, 4546 Gross av., arrested. Was drunk and was shooting revolver wild.

FIREMAN PREVENTS AGED MAN FROM TAKING HIS LIFE

Responding to an alarm of fire at 1415 Austin avenue, Anton Cortez, a member of truck company No. 7, prevented a suicide today when he wrestled a revolver from Herman Liebman, 85 years old.

Cortez dashed into the burning building and made his way to a rear room on the second floor, from which smoke was issuing. In the middle of the floor stood Liebman. The aged man had a revolver pressed to his head.

Cortez leaped upon him and tore the gun from his grasp before Liebman could pull the trigger.

An investigation of the fire, which did little damage, is being made. Liebman is believed to have been despondent, but police are investigating the possibility that there may have been some connection between the blaze and the attempted suicide.